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**Brief Summary of Selected Substantive Portions of this Response**

**[0001]** In a telephone discussion (on May 23, 2008), Examiner Siddiqi and the undersigned discussed the instant application in view of the proposed claim amendments. During the discussion, Examiner Siddiqi tentatively indicated that certain clarifications could help clarify the scope of the claims. The claims herein are amended consistent with the discussion in the interview.

**[0002]** This brief summary is not intended to represent the Applicant's full response to the Action. Rather, it is merely a brief summary of selected substantive portions of the response herein.